IN THE CLAIMS:

Claim 1 (Previously Presented): A liquid crystal display device, comprising:

a transparent insulating substrate;

a gate line and a gate electrode on the transparent insulating substrate;

a gate insulating film, an active layer, an ohmic contact layer, source and drain electrodes and a data line on the transparent insulating substrate, the source and drain electrodes disposed at opposing sides of the active layer;

a passivation film formed on the transparent insulating substrate including the source and drain electrodes and the data line;

a polarizing film formed on the passivation film; and

a pixel electrode formed on at least the polarizing film,

herein the polarizing film and the pixel electrode extend completely over the data line, and the polarizing film contacts the passivation film.

Claim 2 (Original): The device according to claim 1, wherein the pixel electrode includes ITO.

Claim 3 (Previously Presented): A method of fabricating a liquid crystal display device, comprising:

forming a gate line and a gate electrode on a transparent insulating substrate;

forming a gate insulating film, an active layer, an ohmic contact layer, source and drain electrodes and a data line on the transparent insulating substrate, the source and drain electrodes disposed at opposing sides of the active layer;

forming a passivation film on the transparent insulating substrate including the source and drain electrodes and the gate line;

forming a polarization film on at least the passivation film; and

forming a pixel electrode on the polarizing film,

herein the polarizing film and the pixel electrode extend completely over he data line, and the polarizing film contacts the passivation film.

Claim 4 (Original): The method according to claim 3, wherein the pixel electrode includes ITO.

Claim 5 (Currently Amended): A liquid crystal display device, comprising:

a transparent insulating substrate;

a black matrix formed on the transparent insulating substrate;

a color filter layer formed on an upper surface of the black matrix;

a polarizing film formed on the color filter layer; and

a common electrode formed on the polarizing film,

wherein the polarizing film contacts the color filter and black matrix ~~is parallel to the transparent insulating substrate~~.

Claim 6 (Canceled).

Claim 7 (Original): The device according to claim 5, wherein the common electrode includes ITO.

Claim 8 (Currently Amended): A method of fabricating a liquid crystal display device, comprising:

forming a black matrix on a transparent insulating substrate;

forming a color filter layer on the black matrix;

forming a polarizing film on an upper surface of the color filter layer; and

forming a common electrode on the polarizing film,

wherein the polarizing film contacts the color filter and black matrix ~~is parallel to the transparent insulating substrate~~.

Claim 9 (Canceled).

Claim 10 (Original): The method according to claim 8, wherein the common electrode includes ITO.

Claim 11 (Original): The method according to claim 8, wherein forming the color filter layer includes sequentially forming red, green, and blue color filter layers.

Claim 12 (Currently Amended): A liquid crystal display device, comprising:

a thin film transistor substrate;

a color filter substrate having a black matrix;

a liquid crystal material formed between the thin film transistor substrate and the color filter substrate;

a pixel electrode formed on the thin film transistor substrate and a common electrode formed on the color filter substrate, the pixel electrode and the common electrode aligning orientation of liquid crystal molecules of the liquid crystal material; and

a polarizing film contacting at least one of the pixel electrode and the common electrode for transmitting light vibrating in one direction,

wherein the polarizing film contacts at least one of a passivation layer on the thin film transistor substrate and the black matrix of the color filter substrate ~~is parallel to the transparent insulating substrate~~.

Claim 13 (Original): The device according to claim 12, wherein the polarizing plate includes polyvinyl alcohol.

Claim 14 (Previously Presented): The device according to claim 12, further comprising an overcoat film formed beneath the polarizing film, wherein the polarizing film contacts the common electrode.

Claims 15 – 17 (Canceled).